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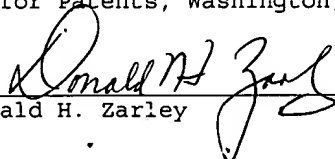
In the Specification:

Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 7, and replace it with the following paragraph:

The present invention relates to a reversible thermochromic and/or photochromic cosmetic composition for use in aqueous hair and skin product formulations. The invention involves the formation of thermochromic cells having a thermoset resin protective shell on the outside, and a mixture of water, fatty substance, and dye on the inside. Photochromic cells of this invention combine benzene

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